



Executive Department  
State of Idaho

The Office of the Governor  
**Proclamation**

State Capitol  
Boise

*WHEREAS, midwives throughout time have provided healthcare to mothers, babies and their communities; and*

*WHEREAS, midwives in Idaho are caring for women and babies in a variety of settings; and*

*WHEREAS, midwives provide care for many aspects of women's and infants' health, including maternity care, infant care, promotion and counseling for breastfeeding women, family planning information, menopause concerns and counseling; and*

*WHEREAS, midwives strive to contribute to the health and well-being of mothers and babies in the great state of Idaho;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim May 5<sup>th</sup>, 2007, to be*

**MIDWIVES DAY**

*in Idaho.*



*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at Boise, Idaho, on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April in the year of our Lord two-thousand and seven and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-first and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred seventeenth.*

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "C.L. Butch Otter", is written over a horizontal line.

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER  
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Ben Yursa", is written over a horizontal line.

BEN YURSA  
SECRETARY OF STATE